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PAW PAW, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1884.

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Agricultural Implement.

**YOUNG & HUTCHINS.**

DEALERS IN

**Agricultural Implements**

Grain and Grass Harvesting Machines,

Bullard & Thompson's Hay Tedders,  
Rakes, both Horse and Hand Dump.

**THE "OLD RELIABLE"**

Gorham Cultivator, Acme Cultivator, Acme Harrow, Kemp & Burpee's  
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**ECONOMIST PLOW,**

Deere & Mansur's Corn and Bean Planter, plants in rows any distance  
from 2 1/2 to 4 feet, and plants the hills in rows any desired distance apart.  
C. W. Young, agent for Pennock Road Machin.

**YOUNG & HUTCHINS, Paw Paw, Mich.**

Jay Cummings.—Dry Goods, Etc.

A Quick, Sharp Trade in Dress Goods

**EXPECTED!**

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week we will offer you at  
the low price of

**TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER YARD**

Our Entire Line of Broadhead Dress Fabrics, in 24 1/2, and 30 inch  
widths, goods that will wash without injury to the fabric, wool dyed, and  
will not fade or cockle. Buntings, Gersers, Satins, Serges, and  
Armures.

**BLACK**

Goods a Specialty. An Elegant assortment of the Finest  
Buyers, do not fail to look our line over before purchasing. Drap-  
d'almas, Widows' Cloths, Nuns Veiling, Ottoman Cloths and Priestley's  
Silk Warp Henriettas.  
Popular Goods at Leading and Popular Prices.

**JAY CUMINGS,**

Glove Sale Continued.

Covert & Bartram.—Drugs, Groceries, Etc.

**OUR OPEN WINTER!**

**IS NEARLY OVER!**

And now comes the time you will have to

**WALL PAPER!**

So please bear in mind when you wish anything in the line  
that we are Headquarters. We have the Largest  
and Best Assorted Stock of

Wall Paper,

Decorating Paper,

Window Shades, Etc.

That has ever been shown in Van Buren County.

**WE HAVE ADDED MORE ROOM**

To our already Large store, by using the rooms over our  
store which we have fitted up for our Wall Paper Parlor.  
Come and see our stock and you will surely say it is the  
finest display you ever saw.

Those living in surrounding towns will find it to their ad-  
vantage to call on us before buying. Come and see us  
and we will use you well. Do not forget that we carry  
a Large stock of

**Drugs and Groceries.**

**COVERT & BARTRAM,**

The Live Druggists and Grocers.

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**Local and Business Notices.**

**Dr. G. W. Hilton,**

Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw, Mich.  
Office on Main street, over Covert & Bartram's  
Drug Store. Office hours from 2 to 4 and  
from 7 to 9 p. m. 1539

**W. R. Hawkins & Son,**  
Brokers, Notaries Public and Conveyancers.  
Money to loan and collections made in all  
parts of Van Buren County. Remittances  
promptly made. Office opposite Dyckman  
House, Paw Paw, Mich. 1338ly

**Crockery and Groceries.**  
I have just purchased a new stock of  
crockery, and have my store packed full of  
goods. I sell crockery cheaper than the  
cheapest. Call and be convinced that this  
is no humbug. LUKE GILBERT,  
67tf Paw Paw, Mich.

**Horse Training.**  
Having had several years experience in  
handling colts, I am prepared to train colts  
to be driven either single or double. Ugly  
and vicious horses made kind. WILBER BABCOCK,  
Paw Paw, Mich. 1424tf

**Money to Loan.**  
Parties desiring of obtaining Loans on  
Good Security, will find it to their advantage  
to call on me. Real estate for sale. In-  
surance, Collections, and Conveyancing Solicited.  
1505-ly HARRY S. RICHARDS,  
Over C. R. Avery's store.

**Omnibus Orders.**  
All orders left at the post office for Bur-  
dick's bus to all trains and private houses  
will meet with prompt attention. 12tf

Persons indebted to the late S. T. Conway  
for subscription to the TRUE NORTHERNER or  
on note, please call and settle and save costs.  
J. C. McLAUGHLIN,  
Administrator. 1918026

**Photographs.**  
I take pleasure in announcing to the public  
that I have reopened my Picture Gallery,  
at my old stand, on Main St., in Paw Paw.  
My apparatus is entirely new, and of the  
most approved pattern, and I am prepared  
to take pictures of all kinds in the highest  
style of art. Give me a call and I am sure I  
can please you. JOHN HODGES,  
51tf

**Dental Notice.**  
Dr. C. W. Ward has opened new Dental  
Parlors at No. 103 Main St., Kalamazoo,  
Mich., over Young's book-store, where he  
will be pleased to meet any who may need  
the services of a Dentist. 1461ly

**For Ladies.**  
I desire to call attention to my new and  
complete stock of Hair Goods. All the latest  
styles. Langtry Bangs, Bang waves, Mary  
Anderson Bangs, Coquette wavylets, switches,  
combs, bands, toilet articles, etc., at Mrs.  
Odell's Millinery rooms, Paw Paw. 18126043  
MRS. EMMA MARSHALL.

**Millinery.**  
I have a full and complete assortment of all  
the latest Spring and Summer styles of Hats,  
Bonnets, Feathers, and Trimmings. I have  
an experienced trimmer. Satisfaction guar-  
anteed. 18ly MRS. H. R. ODELL.

**House, Sign and Carriage Painter, Paper  
Hanger, and Ceiling Decorator.** Shop on  
Gremp's St., Paw Paw. 66ly

**Grange Store Harness Shop.**  
I have a full line of harness, both single  
and double, made from the best oak stock,  
every strap guaranteed. Call and examine  
my goods, and get prices, before purchasing  
elsewhere, and thus realize the benefit to be  
derived from my system of cash prices only.  
In this way you get just what you pay for,  
and pay only for what you get, and do not  
have to help settle bad debts made by other  
people. Team harness, light trimmed com-  
plete \$27. Team harness, black trimmed  
complete \$26. Yours Etc., G. E. GILMAN.  
13tf

**Drive Wells.**  
Salsbury & Scott desire to inform the peo-  
ple of Van Buren County that they are in  
the business of repairing pumps and driving  
wells. Have had ten years experience. Leave  
orders at Free & Martin's, Paw Paw. 191tf

**Blacksmithing.**  
Horse Shoeing, Jobbing, and General Black-  
smithing of all kinds well and promptly  
done at the Brick Shop, by  
THOS. J. NICHOLDS, Paw Paw. 94ly

**Auction! Auction!**  
To all parties wishing the services of an  
auctioneer. I am prepared to make Farm  
Sales at reasonable rates. 1338tf  
H. W. MCABE, Paw Paw, Mich.

**R. S. Palmer, D. D. S.**  
Dental Rooms corner Main and Kalamazoo  
streets, Paw Paw. All work, both opera-  
tive and mechanical, carefully and thoroughly  
done. 1844ly

**New Wagon Shop.**  
I have opened a wagon shop in the upper  
part of the brick blacksmith shop in this  
place, and I am prepared to do all kinds of  
work in my line. Give me a call. 97ly  
B. W. STANTON, Paw Paw, Mich.

**The Emporium.**  
are prepared to pay the very highest  
price for Beans, and for Hogs at our  
stand, on Main street—The Emporium.  
First give us a call before selling else-  
where. 94tf CORNELIUS & WOOD.

**Painting and Decorating.**  
All kinds of House, Sign, and Carriage  
Paint, Decorating in all styles, Paper  
Hanging, etc., call on or address the under-  
signed Country work a specialty. 1136  
C. W. REYNOLDS, Paw Paw, Mich.

**For Sale.**

A Fire-proof Safe. Enquire at Post Office  
of R. O. Beebe or Frank Park. 871tf

**Public Examinations.**

The following is the schedule of dates for  
examinations to be held during the ensuing  
school year. These dates will not be changed:  
Hartford, May 3, 1884, Decatur, June 7, 1884.  
85tf

A. E. Ross,  
Sec. Board of Examiners.

**G. W. Koons**

Has in stock a nice line of Mexican Ham-  
mocks, cheap. 22

**Farmers, Take Notice!**

I shall keep in stock a complete assortment  
of Points and extras for the following plows:  
Oliver, South Bend chilled, Gale, Diamond,  
Iron, Advance, Dodge, and the Cossack  
Sulkey. C. S. ADAMS, Lawton, Mich. 19tf

**\$20,000 to Loan.**

On improved real estate. Inquire of Geo.  
E. Breck, Paw Paw, or E. A. Crane 117 Rose  
street, Kalamazoo. 11tf

**The Old Reliable**

Harness Establishment of G. W. Koons, is  
still booming with a big stock of Single  
Harnesses from \$9 to \$30 per set. Farm  
Harnesses from \$25 to \$30 per set.

**Dr. A. B. Spinnery.**

of Detroit, will be at the Dyckman House on  
Sunday and Monday June 8th and 9th. The  
doctor makes a specialty of all forms of  
Chronic diseases, particularly, Catarrh, Eye,  
Ear, Throat and Lung diseases. Best of  
glasses always on hand. Fees guaranteed.  
Consultation free. 2114

**G. W. Koons**

Makes Single Strap Harnesses a specialty;  
also Light Double Harnesses. Don't forget  
to call and see.

**At Dansby's.**

Ask for Murphy's Velvet Rye at Dansby's.  
12tf

**The Full Blood**

Percheron stallion, Muratt, will be at D.  
Chamberlain's Tuesdays, at W. H. Rickard's,  
Oshkosh, Wednesdays, at Beebe's barn in  
town Saturdays. Balance of time at home.  
Insurance \$15, single service \$7. For fur-  
ther information enquire of the owner,  
2014025 E. F. BILSBOROUGH.

**Ladies' and Gents'**

Fine Leather Traveling Bags and Trunks, at  
G. W. Koons', at bed rock prices. Also  
a beautiful lot of Dusters and Fly Nets of  
all kinds. 22

**List of Letters**

Remaining unclaimed for in the Post Office at  
Paw Paw, Mich., for the week ending May  
21: Mrs. E. H. Brown, Lidian Carr, J. Ham-  
mond, Johnnie W. Rea, Mr. John Snyder,  
W. B. Sherman, Susan Therbut.

R. O. BEER, P. M.

**For Sale.**

House and two lots in a very desirable lo-  
cation. The village, good well and cistern  
water, nicely shaded, good walks, etc. En-  
quire on premises, first door north of the  
town hall. 17tf

**Local Department.**

Beautiful days, these are.

The NORTHERNER has a new card cutter.

Mrs. Emma Baker is visiting friends in  
town.

Mrs. Inez Matthews has gone to Pennsylv-  
ania on a visit.

That bunch of keys you found belongs to  
Henry Hopping.

Mrs. Eva Kelly of Cadillac, is visiting  
friends in town.

The Cassopolis Vigilant has entered upon  
its 13th volume.

J. B. Hopkins of Bangor, looked in upon  
us last Tuesday.

Warner has treated the front of his meat  
market to a new coat of paint.

Col. Anderson of Bertram, made us a  
pleasant call last Tuesday morning.

Miss Ella Thomas visited some of her  
many friends in this village last week.

Under sheriff McCabe has gone to Wiscon-  
sin and Minnesota on a two weeks visit.

Be ready to stand up and be counted when  
the census man comes around in a few days.

Mrs. J. B. Smith has enlarged her resi-  
dence by building a new wing on the west  
side of it.

Wm. E. Hunt has gone to Rochester, N.  
Y., where he will spend a few weeks visiting  
old friends.

Mrs. Mary Sanders, nee Rice, one of the  
former teachers in our school, is visiting  
friends here.

The yellow front, that's Chappell's jew-  
elry and book store. He has a fine display  
of goods too.

Wells Mosier has added another Jersey  
cow to his herd, purchased of P. B. Emery,  
Esq., of this village.

A new cross walk has been constructed  
across Kalamazoo street, at the corner near  
Nelson's meat market.

Miss Maude Cummings has returned home  
from Chicago, where she has been staying  
for several months past.

The tax roll of this township will be ready  
for review at the drug store of Covert &  
Bartram, on Monday next.

The miles of shade trees in our beautiful  
village present the finest appearance of the  
year, just at the present time.

We beg the Leader's pardon, but the Nor-  
therner never said there were any indignant  
insane persons at the asylum.

Rev. Jas. Goodman and lady leave to-day  
to attend the national assembly of Baptists,  
which convenes in Detroit May 22-24.

The result of the tax sales in this county  
was as follows: Cash receipts \$1265.85, bid  
off to state \$121.25, withheld from sale  
\$28.97.

Married, May 21, by Rev. W. C. Burns, at  
the residence of Mrs. Ellen Howland, Gild-  
denburg, Mr. A. G. Shepard and Miss Elvira  
Van Diver.

E. R. Annabie, Paw Paw's former lawyer,  
has secured letters patent on a new style of  
whiffletree. The Marcellus News names him  
E. R. Sumabel.

P. V. Henley of Three Rivers, was in town  
Tuesday.

Bangor and Glendale correspondence  
reached us this week, too late for use.

The amount of the primary school fund  
apportioned to this district, from this town-  
ship, is \$542.06; fine and dog tax for library  
fund \$112.22.

Married, at Bangor, Mich., May 17th, by  
Rev. J. H. Reese, Mr. J. M. Hall, editor of  
the Watervliet Record, to Miss Sarah J.  
Hart of Keeler.

Jay Sherman writes that his children have  
all had the whooping cough, and that his  
babe came very near dying with it. They  
are now doing well.

The Presbyterian choir will give an enter-  
tainment at their church on Wednesday  
evening, June 4th. We hope to see them  
receive a good benefit.

Our Bangor correspondent says the Glen-  
dale band paid another visit to that town  
and acquitted themselves like gentlemen,  
and made good music.

Jay Cummings has had such a rush of cus-  
tomers during the past week that he has  
concluded to continue the bargains offered  
in his ad. for another week.

There was quite a severe frost last Thurs-  
day night in some localities, forming quite a  
film of ice. So far as we have learned, no  
great damage was done to crops or fruit.

Married, at the residence of Mr. Cyrus  
Hollister, on Sunday, May 18th, Mr. E. A.  
Park of Paw Paw to Miss Susan Hollister of  
Glendale, Rev. E. V. Armstrong officiating.

Joe Hanson, the butcher has sold out his  
market at Hartford and is trying to nego-  
tiate for the purchase of a market at this  
place. If he succeeds he will return to Paw  
Paw.

The score of 4 to 3 in favor of the Paw  
Paw at the ball play last Monday, on the  
fair grounds, shows that the Lawtons, al-  
though a number one amateur club, can  
sometimes be beaten.

Prof. Russell has been granted leave of  
absence to attend the annual meeting of the  
association of city superintendents, which  
meets at Jackson, Thursday evening and  
Friday, May 23d and 24th.

The Michigan Central railroad will sell ex-  
cursion tickets to Chicago on May 26th to  
June 3d inclusive, for one fare for the round  
trip, on account of national republican con-  
vention at Chicago June 3d.

Frank P. Muhlenburg, Asst. Inspector of  
the Dept. of Michigan, G. A. R., has been vi-  
siting the different Posts in this county. He  
visited Broadhead Post at its last meeting, and  
found it in good working order.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hodge of Geneva,  
celebrated their silver wedding last Friday  
evening. Quite a number of their Paw Paw  
friends were present on the occasion, and an  
excellent and enjoyable time is reported.

Berrien Springs, the county seat of Ber-  
rien county, is without telegraphic com-  
munication, the wires between Niles and St.  
Joseph having been removed. But as she  
has the telephone she can still communicate  
with the outside world.

Theodore Lowry, who was convicted be-  
fore Justice Rowland, on his plea of guilty,  
of the crime of larceny, and sentenced to  
Ionia for 90 days, has appealed his case to  
the Circuit Court, hoping thereby to receive  
a less severe punishment.

Week Young don't always write very plain  
and we, not being up in the agricultural im-  
plement business, did not translate his his-  
tophies exactly straight. Read Young &  
Hutchins' corrected ad. this week and see  
just what he did intend to say.

The Michigan Central railroad will sell  
excursion tickets to Chicago, Michigan City,  
Niles, Jackson, Detroit or Toledo, on May  
26th to 28th inclusive, at one fare for the  
round trip, on account of the national green-  
back convention at Indianapolis May 26th.

Married, May 11th, 1884, at Creston,  
Iowa, Mr. T. P. Gilest to Miss Ida M.  
Ebert, and Mr. John Ledgerwood to Miss  
Ada F. Ebert. The many friends of Ada  
and Ida in this vicinity will all unite in  
wishing the newly married couples much  
joy.

There will be a meeting of the citizens of  
Paw Paw, Wednesday evening, May 21, at  
7-30 p. m. at the Court house, for the pur-  
pose of taking the necessary steps to cele-  
brate the Fourth of July, and secure a  
part of such celebration the reunion of the  
Van Buren County Battalion G. A. R., July  
3d, 4th and 5th.

The twenty-sixth annual Michigan State  
Fair will be held at Kalamazoo, Mich., Sep-  
tember 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th, 1884.  
The location of the Fair at that city will af-  
ford a more favorable opportunity for the  
agriculturists of south-western Michigan,  
than they have enjoyed for quite a number  
of years past.

We know that the Detroit Free Press is  
somewhat accustomed to drawing the long  
bow, but when it states that a stroke of  
lightning demolished a chestnut tree, and  
"hurled its fragments with inconceivable ve-  
locity for hundreds of miles," it is too much.  
We don't believe the yarn. The true solu-  
tion of the marvelous story is "The Free  
Press lied."

Some evil disposed person or persons  
went into Mr. Bierce's planing mill one  
night, not long since, and took the driving  
pulley off and away from the surface and  
re-sawing machine, took the pitman off the  
big saw, and the mandril off the turning  
lathe, but Ed is too good a machinist to let  
such trifles bother him and before noon the  
next day, he had several thousand feet of  
lumber worked off.

The Rasett and Richmond houses at  
Hartford, are closed because of the prohibi-  
tion ordinance adopted by that village. Evi-  
dently their proprietors are trying to bul-  
doze the common council, but from the  
present outlook they will only succeed in  
biting off their noses to spite their faces.  
The Railroad house has ample accommodations  
for all travelers.

We call attention to the new time table of  
the T. & S. H. R. R. There is quite a radical  
change in the time of some of the trains,  
and parties who do not consult the table will  
be liable to get left. We have not yet re-  
ceived a time card of the M. C. R. R., but  
will probably have it next week. Parties  
desiring to take the forenoon train, either  
east or west, will leave here on the 11 o'clock  
train.

Last Sunday night one of the prisoners in  
our so-called jail—Wm. Carpenter, under  
sentence to Ionia, for burglary—got tired of  
staying and dug a hole through one of  
the rotten sills of the institution and par-  
doned himself out. The board of super-  
visors, which meets in special session on the  
second of June next, will have an excellent  
opportunity to see how nearly rotted down  
the old jail is.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week, the  
customary monthly public exercises were  
held in our public school. We had not the  
pleasure of being present, but are assured  
by those who witnessed them, that they  
were fully up to the usual standard.

A correspondent from Keeler writes  
that they have an active W. C. T. U., a Good  
Templars lodge of 134 members in good  
standing, and no saloon. To say that the  
temperance interests of Keeler are well look-  
ed after is putting it mildly, for, besides the  
temperance societies, there are numbers of  
outsiders who are always ready and willing  
to encourage those organizations by inform-  
ing them when any of their members have  
overstepped the proper bounds, how they  
should dispose of their funds and how they  
should regulate their matters generally.

We had the pleasure of attending a camp-  
fire held by Ellsworth Post G. A. R., at  
Hartford, last Friday evening. The enter-  
tainment consisted of music, an address  
from comrade Hecker, commander of  
Broadhead Post, select reading, and short  
speeches from comrades, and was very en-  
joyable indeed. A large audience was in at-  
tendance, and all seemed well pleased. An  
admission fee of ten cents—fifteen cents for  
reserved seats—was charged, and the gross  
receipts amounted to \$27, which will be  
used to pay for instruments recently pur-  
chased for the drum corps of the Post. The  
Hartford Grand Army boys are a live set,  
and make things very pleasant and interest-  
ing for visiting comrades.

**OBITUARY.**

**JONATHAN H. WOODMAN.**

Died, at his residence in this township, on  
Friday, May 16th, 1884, of disease of the  
heart, Jonathan H. Woodman Esq., son of  
David Woodman 1st, aged 57 years. He  
had long been a sufferer with the disease  
which caused his death, and his final depar-  
ture was not unexpected.

His funeral was held at the Free Baptist  
church on Sunday last, at 11 o'clock a. m.,  
and was attended by a great number of rela-  
tives and sympathizing friends. Rev. W. C.  
Burns officiated at the last sad rites, and his  
remains were laid to rest in the beautiful  
burial grounds just east of this village.

Mr. Woodman was one of the pioneer  
settlers of this region, having come here  
when he was a mere lad of four years, and  
having spent his whole life among us. Here  
he spent his boyhood's days and here he did  
his manhood's work. We need not speak of  
the character of that work, the people of this  
vicinity are familiar with it. Suffice it to  
say that as a pioneer, he performed man-  
fully the labor, and bore bravely the hard-  
ships of such a life. Although he was not a  
public man, in any sense of the word, he was  
intimately identified and deeply interested  
in the upbuilding of the religious and edu-  
cational interests of our beautiful village.

Retiring and unassuming in his disposition,  
writing his life's history in the walks of pri-  
vate and rural life, few ever really and truly  
knew him. The best, the noblest and truest  
part of his life was hidden from the public  
gaze. It was only in the relation of hus-  
band and father that the real worth of his  
character manifested itself. When the day's  
work was done, no place allured him from  
the home circle, and none were more dear to  
him than those who composed it. Unselfish  
in all his thoughts and acts, solicitous for  
the happiness of others, his presence ever  
brought a benediction and a consciousness  
of peace to those whom he loved.

Mr. Woodman was a devoted man, a christi-  
an in thought and in life, and ever trusted  
in Him who was made perfect through suf-  
fering. He was truly one of nature's noblemen  
and had by his genial disposition and up-  
right character, won a high place in the  
hearts of all who knew him. Strictly hono-  
rable in all his dealings with his fellow  
men, he had by his habits of industry accu-  
mulated a fair property, being one of the  
foremost agriculturists of our town, and es-  
tablished a reputation such that men said of  
him, "His word is as good as his bond." Of  
him it may truly be said "A good man has  
fallen." His example was one well worthy of  
imitation by the rising generation. He  
leaves to mourn his death a wife, one son  
and one daughter, and a large number of  
other relatives. They may all rest assured  
that they have the fullest and most heart-  
felt sympathy of this entire community, in  
their time of sore affliction.

**BARTON G. HIPP.**

Barton G. Hipp who died a few days since  
in Lawton, was born in 1828, at Fenfield,  
Monroe county, N. Y., being at the time of  
his death 56 years, 4 months and 5 days old.  
He was a brother of B. W. Hipp of Alpena,  
and came to Michigan in 1854 and located  
at Berrien Springs. He was a deputy sheriff  
of that county and kept the jail four years.  
He made the brick for the jail and poor  
house of that county, and for four years fol-  
lowed the undertaking and cabinet maker's  
business at that place. He kept a boarding  
house in Chicago for four years, and was a  
resident of that city at the time of the great  
fire. In 1880